June 20, 2002

Mike Fiore, Director Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services Division of Integrated Health Systems 7500 Security Blvd. Baltimore, MD 21244-1850

Dear Mr. Fiore:

Enclosed for your approval is the Missouri ConnectCare/St. Louis Community Disproportionate Share Section 1115 Demonstration Proposal.

Thank you for your assistance with this project. Please do not hesitate to contact me at 573/751-6922 if you have any questions or if additional information is needed.

Sincerely,

Gregory A. Vadner Director

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